



September, 2025

innovative resources for faith formation



Professional Development

Did you know that PRC was one of the leaders in faith based webinars and professional development? We started this part of our ministry back in 2011, bringing in top-name presenters in big topics of ministry. We have new webinars each month featuring highly engaging and knowledgeable presenters, all provided to you because of the generosity of our subscribers.

September Webinars:

- **Blessed Minds: Breaking the Silence About Neurodiversity:** September 4; 2 pm
(That's today, friends! Don't snooze on this one!)
- **Understanding Polarization: Treating Division with Humility:** September 9; 2 pm
- **Advanced Websites: A Look Under the Hood of PRC's New Website;**
September 11; 7 pm
- **Generationally Speaking: Bridging Generational Divides for a Thriving Church;** September 16; 2pm
- **Why Administration Matters:** September 25; 2 pm
- **Don't Overcomplicate This: First Steps to Fresh Ministry Initiatives:** September 30; 2 pm

Advent Prep

Let's get Advent prepped and ready to go!

- **Christmas Pageants and More webinar**
- **Worship Design Studios** is offering a 50% discount on Advent/Christmas worship series resources for you! Use code AdventPRC. (Thank you, WDS!)
- **Scratch Off Advent Prayer Calendar**
- **Felt Advent Wreath Table Runner** and Table Tents **in purple** or **in blue**
- **Advent in a Box**



Advent prep



new resources

Faith Formation Resources

- ***Into The Playground:*** children's moment plus meaningful associated activity for the pew. **Narrative Lectionary** and **RCL options**, plus our popular subscription that gives you September, 2025-April, 2026 for **RCL** and **Narrative Lectionary**.
- ***Snapshots:*** claim the 15 minutes after worship for multigenerational faith formation. **Narrative Lectionary** and **RCL options**. No leaders? No problem! This is written for congregations who have no one to lead. Or snag our popular subscription that gives you September, 2025-April, 2026 for **RCL** and **Narrative Lectionary**.
- ***Visio Divina:*** textable and printable postcards with the week's Scripture, wondering questions, and a prayer. Simple to use, big impact. **Narrative Lectionary** and **RCL options**. Or snag our popular subscription that gives you September, 2025-April, 2026 for **RCL** and **Narrative Lectionary**.

- **Out the Door Blessings:** simple, meaningful blessings that families can pray over one another each Monday morning—as they head out the door and into the week ahead. You'll receive 13 weeks of blessings, guiding families from the first day of school all the way to the final week of Ordinary Time. It's a gentle, consistent way to start each week grounded in love, connection, and faith. [Purchase here.](#)
- **Bedtime Stories and Prayers:** Not seeing as many kids and families during Sunday morning ministries? Try Bedtime Stories and Prayers. 15 minutes, once a week on Zoom. Read a story, pray together, and head off to bed. This includes three full months of book recommendations, plus plans on how to set up your bedtime stories and prayers ministry. [Purchase here.](#)

Multigenerational

- I like to rotate in 'next level' skills in faith formation in the fall. I'm bumping it up a notch this year and creating a multigenerational unit for Christian symbols during coffee hour. **This technique** will be used for at least two Sundays. Once you have the legos sorted, you're set. Cover the tables with butcher paper/craft paper, set out stamp pads, and have laminated examples plus descriptions of the samples on each table (better yet, pop them into **display stands** so they're easier to see). I plan to bring these back around in Advent to make modified Chrismons.
- **This event held by SCRAPSE** looks amazing! Holistic worship and engaging the generations more fully? Yes, please! And there's a virtual option for those of us that are not local to Texas.



**multi
generational**



**ministry with
children**

Ministry With Children

- Lots of us have groups that use our facilities throughout the week. **Little touches like these** go a long way towards building community and letting the people know that you are people that care about them.
- **This craft** took my breath away and I can't wait to use it for Scripture responses (write in a glitter pen in the middle of the heart), Advent displays (it doesn't have to be a heart in the middle; you can use other symbols to represent hope, peace, joy, and love), and a baptism gift or display.

- I just finished [this book](#) as a read aloud with my own middle grade children. We all loved it and it fostered loads of great conversation. Keep this one on your radar, especially if you are serving in a congregation with a heart for water ministry and with those that are deeply rooted in social justice. (My 5 year old happily listened along while I read to my 10 and 12 year olds. My 15 year old sat in the adjoining room 'not listening' and snagging the book when he had free time.)

Ministry With Youth

- [Here's a fun resource](#) for youth group games that utilize their mobile devices.
- [This nifty resource](#) is great for team planning for faith formation, but I am planning on pulling it out and using it with youth as a way to get their input on what we're doing well, what they want more of, and what isn't working. Metacognition and market research, all in one.
- I can report that [this little ice breaker](#) is a blast. 100% recommend, especially on days where you are discussing the cyclical nature of things, drawing wider circles, and different talents.



For the Adults

- [This book club](#) grew out of a group I ran with the parents I am honored to work with. Super easy to run, lots of fruitful conversation to be had, and very flexible in settings. (Don't let the volume 2 part throw you- this stands on its own without volume 1.) Want a sample? [Look here.](#)
- I loved [this book](#) and the webinar we have with the author (today!- [register](#) and if you can't make it, you'll get the recording) would be a great way to kick off an adult discussion group.

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